**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY**
**NAGPUR BENCH : NAGPUR.**

**Writ Petition No.4365 of 2007**
**[S.N. Bokde Vs. State Election Commission & ors.]**

| Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram, appearances, Court's orders or directions and Registrar's orders. | Court's or Judge's orders |
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Mr. P.S. Patil, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Kothari, AGP for Respondent Nos. 2 and 3.

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CORAM : A.H. JOSHI AND
R.C.CHAVAN,JJ.

DATE : 05th October,2007.

1. Heard.

2. The challenge contained in the petition is that as per the Voters' List, there is only one family of Scheduled Tribe in the village, while three wards are reserved.

3. The petition has been opposed by filing a reply, contending that the reservation of seats is guided by the population as noted in the Census, which justifies three seats.

4. In this background, no interference is called for. Petition is dismissed.

**5. This does not take away the petitioner's right to challenge the election by way of a statutory remedy, if available in law.**

**Judge** **Judge**

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